UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION 3:08cr34

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
Plaintiff,))))) FINAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT) CONFIRMING FORFEITURE)
v.)	
JORGE FLORES-ROJAS,)	
Defendant.)	
)	

On November 20, 2008, this Court entered a Preliminary Order of Forfeiture pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853 and Fed. R. Crim. P. 32(d)(2), based upon the Defendant's plea of guilty on Counts Two, Three and Five in the Superseding Bill of Indictment. As to Counts Two and Three, Defendant was convicted of sex trafficking involving a minor. In Count Five the Defendant was charged with sex trafficking.

On November 25, 2008 through December 24, 2008, the United States published via www.forfeiture.gov, notice of this forfeiture and of the intent of the government to dispose of the forfeited property according to law, and further notifying all third parties of their right to petition the Court within sixty days from November 25, 2008 for a hearing to adjudicate the validity of any alleged legal interest in the property. It appears from the record that no such petitions have been filed. Based on the record in this case, including the defendant's plea of guilty, the Court finds, in accordance with Rule 32.2(c)(2), that the Defendant had an interest in the property that is forfeitable under the applicable statute.

It is therefore ORDERED:

In accordance with Rule 32.2(c)(2), the Preliminary Order of Forfeiture is confirmed as final. All right, title, and interest in the following property, whether real, personal, or mixed, has therefore been forfeited to the United States for disposition according to law:

The sum of approximately \$572.50 in United States Currency

Signed: March 25, 2009

Robert J. Conrad, Jr.

Chief United States District Judge